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In re Application of:

William A. KNAUS et al.

Application Number: 09/822,261

Filed: April 2, 2001

For: Broadband Computer-Based Networked Systems for Control and Management of Medical Records

Group Art Unit: 2131

Examiner: To Be Assigned

**REQUEST FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

REQUEST FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a two month extension of time for filing a Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed June 1, 2001 in the above-captioned application to extend the period for filing a Response up to and including October 1, 2001.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$200.00** to cover the fee for a two month extension of time, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2) to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

In response to the attached copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 1, 2001, Applicants are submitting herewith the filing fee for the above-captioned application.

The filing fees for a small entity are calculated as follows:

Basic Filing Fee	\$ 370.00
Excess claims fee (39 x \$9)	351.00
Excess independent claims fee (3 x \$42)	126.00
Late Filing Surcharge	<u>65.00</u>

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ 912.00

In addition, Applicants are also submitting ten (10) sheets of formal drawings. Please substitute the enclosed drawings for those presently on file.

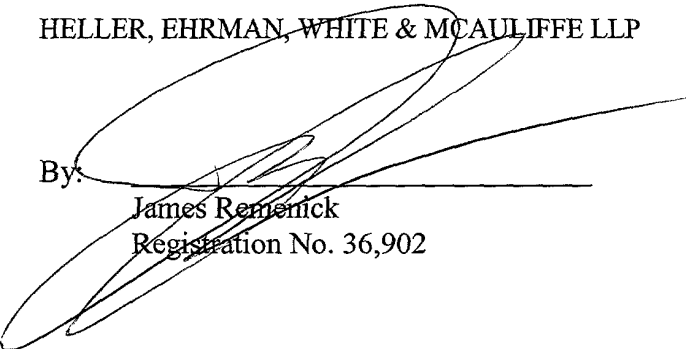
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$912.00** to cover the basic filing fee, excess claims fee, excess independent claims fee and surcharge for late filing, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 08-1641. In the event any variance exists between the amount authorized and the Patent Office fees, please charge or credit any difference to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Respectfully submitted,

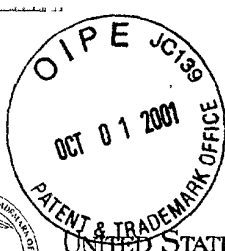
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$471.
 - \$351 for 39 total claims over 20.
 - \$120 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 891.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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